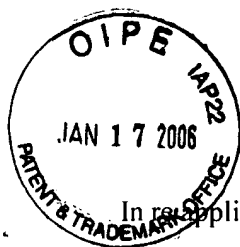


Receipt
IFW

57A 3727 PCT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

1761

In re: Application of:

YOSHITANE KOJIMA et al.

Serial No.: 10/538,693

Filed: June 10, 2005

For: ZINC-RICH FOODS HAVING EFFECT
OF PREVENTING DIABETES

Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: --

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Upon review of the Updated Filing Receipt in connection with the above-identified application, a copy of which is enclosed, an error was noted as indicated on the enclosed marked-up copy.

The names of the attorneys of record were omitted. Please add H. HENRY KODA, REG. NO. 27,729 and WILLIAM L. ANDROLIA, REG. NO 27,177 as the attorneys of record. Submitted herewith is a copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney form, signed by the inventors, for your reference.

It is, therefore, respectfully requested that the Patent Office issue a corrected Filing Receipt indicating the above change accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

KODA & ANDROLIA

By: 

William L. Androlia
Reg. No. 27,177

2029 Century Park East
Suite 1140
Los Angeles, CA 90067-2983
Tel: (310) 277-1391
Fax: (310) 277-4118

Certificate of Transmission

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

January 13, 2006

Date of Deposit

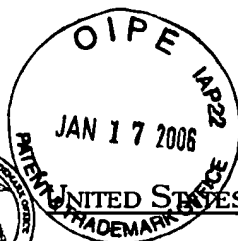
William L. Androlia

Name

Signature

1/13/2006

Date



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov

APPL NO.	FILING OR 371 (c) DATE	ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLMS	IND CLMS
10/538,693	06/10/2005	1761	630	57A 3727 PCT	7	3	1

3713
 KODA & ANDROLIA
 2029 CENTURY PARK EAST
 SUITE 1140
 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

RECEIVED

NOV 14 2005

KODA & ANDROLIA

CONFIRMATION NO. 6970

FILING RECEIPT



OC000000017404360

Date Mailed: 11/07/2005

Receipt is acknowledged of this regular Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please mail to the Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria Va 22313-1450. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Yoshitane Kojima, Izumi-city, JAPAN;
 Yutaka Yoshikawa, Toyonaka-city, JAPAN;
 Naemi Kajiware, Takarazuka-city, JAPAN;
 Hiroko Anzai, Ashiya-city, JAPAN;
 Hiroshi Taniguchi, Kobe-city, JAPAN;

Assignment For Published Patent Application

Junichi Arita

Power of Attorney: None

William L. Androlia--27,177; H. Henry Koda--27,729

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/JP03/12742 10/03/2003

Foreign Applications

JAPAN 2002-358036 12/10/2002
 JAPAN 2003-312400 09/04/2003

Projected Publication Date: 02/16/2006

Non-Publication Request: No



COPY

PATENT (U.S.A.)
ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.
57A 3727 PCT

DECLARATION
and POWER OF ATTORNEY

- ☒ Declaration Submitted With Initial Filing
☐ Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing
(surcharge 37 CFR 1.16(e)) required

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ZINC-RICH FOODS HAVING EFFECT OF PREVENTING DIABETES

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

- ☒ was filed on October 3, 2003 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/JP2003/012742
and was amended on _____

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING Month Day Year	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119
Japan	2002-358036	12/10/2002	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Japan	2003-312400	9/4/2003	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

WILLIAM L. ANDROLIA, Reg. No. 27,177; H. HENRY KODA, Reg. No. 27,729.

Direct all correspondence to:

KODA & ANDROLIA
2029 Century Park East, Suite 1140
Los Angeles, CA 90067-2983

Direct telephone calls to:

KODA & ANDROLIA
310-277-1391

(Please Print)

1	Name of Inventor Yoshitane Kojima	Residence: CITY Izumi-city	STATE or COUNTRY Japan
	Post Office Address 7-3, Tsuruyamadai 4-chome, Izumi-city, Osaka 594-0013 Japan		CITIZENSHIP Japan
2	Name of Inventor Yutaka Yoshikawa	Residence: CITY Toyonaka-city	STATE or COUNTRY Japan
	Post Office Address 4-20, Minamisakurazuka 2-chome, Toyonaka-city, Osaka 561-0882 Japan		CITIZENSHIP Japan
3	Name of Inventor Naemi Kajiwara	Residence: CITY Takarazuka-city	STATE or COUNTRY Japan
	Post Office Address 8-17, Hibarigaoka 1-chome, Takarazuka-city, Hyogo 665-0805 Japan		CITIZENSHIP Japan
4	Name of Inventor Hiroko Anzai	Residence: CITY Ashiya-city	STATE or COUNTRY Japan
	Post Office Address Montevilla-Nangu 403, 4-7, Nangucho, Ashiya-city, Hyogo 659-0024 Japan		CITIZENSHIP Japan

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 1 <i>Kojima</i>	SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 2 <i>y yoshikawa</i>
DATE <i>May 13, 2005</i>	DATE <i>May 15, 2005</i>
SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 3 <i>Naemi Kajiwara</i>	SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 4 <i>Hiroko Hashimoto</i>
DATE <i>May 24, 2005</i>	DATE <i>May 15, 2005</i>

**DECLARATION
and POWER OF ATTORNEY**

- ☒ Declaration Submitted With Initial Filing
☐ Declaration Submitted after Initial Filing
(surcharge 37 CFR 1.16(e)) required

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ZINC-RICH FOODS HAVING EFFECT OF PREVENTING DIABETES

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

- ☒ was filed on October 3, 2003 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/JP2003/012742
and was amended on _____

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56; including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING Month Day Year	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119
Japan	2002-358036	12/10/2002	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Japan	2003-312400	9/4/2003	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

WILLIAM L. ANDROLIA, Reg. No. 27,177; H. HENRY KODA, Reg. No. 27,729.

Direct all correspondence to:

KODA & ANDROLIA
2029 Century Park East, Suite 1140
Los Angeles, CA 90067-2983

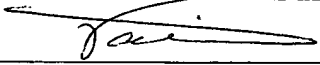
Direct telephone calls to:

KODA & ANDROLIA
310-277-1391

(Please Print)

5	Name of Inventor Hiroshi Taniguchi	Residence: CITY Kobe-city	STATE or COUNTRY Japan
	Post Office Address 2-22-403, Okamoto 2-chome, Higashinada-ku, Kobe-city, Hyogo 658-0072 Japan		CITIZENSHIP Japan
6	Name of Inventor	Residence: CITY	STATE or COUNTRY
	Post Office Address		CITIZENSHIP
7	Name of Inventor	Residence: CITY	STATE or COUNTRY
	Post Office Address		CITIZENSHIP
8	Name of Inventor	Residence: CITY	STATE or COUNTRY
	Post Office Address		CITIZENSHIP

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 5 	SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 6
DATE May 25, 2005	DATE
SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 7	SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 8
DATE	DATE